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my soul to keep
If I should Die before
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my soul to take

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WELL! I LIKE **THAT!** IF YOU WEREN'T TOO MUCH OF A **CHEAPSKATE**, MISTER BAXTER, TO PICK ME UP IN A **TAXI**! INSTEAD OF MAKING ME MEET YOU, THIS MIGHT NOT HAVE **HAPPENED!**

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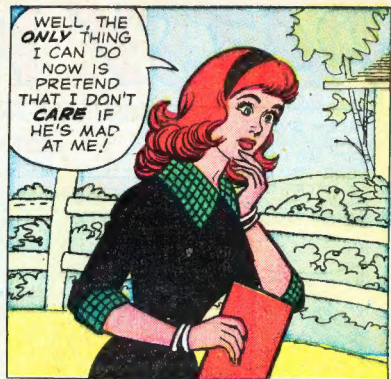
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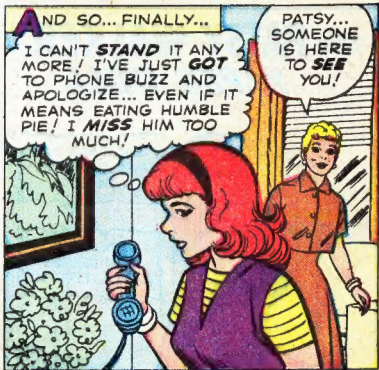
OH, SO I'M A **CHEAPSKATE**, AM I ?

WELL, YOU'RE NOT EXACTLY **DIAMOND** JIM BRADY!!!

IF **THAT'S** THE WAY YOU FEEL ABOUT ME... **GOODBYE!**

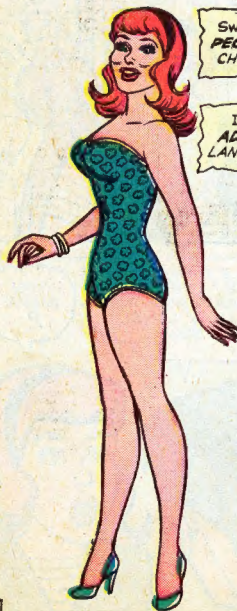
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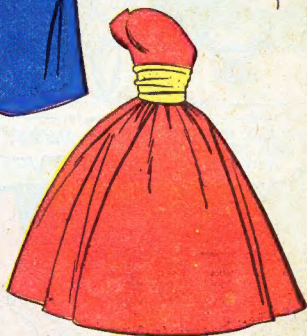
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THE END OF THE DREAM

I ALWAYS dreamed high.

Mom and Pop and the five younger kids back in Clay City used to always say that about me. It used to be a compliment, before I set out for junior college to fulfill my high ambition of becoming a teacher. The folks and all the kids in our ramshackle house treated me like a Queen. But when I came home after the first summer of school and I heard them talking about my "dreaming high," I cried bitterly. I was a failure, but I would never let them know it.

"Dreaming high" as they put it might have been the beginning road to success. It wasn't for me. And just "dreaming" wasn't going to pull me through two years of school without decent grades. At first I thought that just being at a wonderful college was the key to getting ahead. I did passable work at the Clay City school, but I never realized how low the standards were there compared to the high academic requirements of my new college.

There was a terrible weakness in me, too, once I cast my eyes upon the new life that the college scene opened to me. I used to sit on the campus and watch enviously as the well-dressed co-eds sailed by in their tartan-plaid skirts and luxury-soft sweaters. I longed to be part of a social whirl I had never known in my humble small-town background. Of course, none of the college fellows fell over each other to date drab Doris Doyle. In the room that I lived in, over Green's restaurant (in exchange for waiting tables three meals, a

day) I often wept bitterly. My clothing was worn and colorless, but I didn't realize then that my pinched face had taken on the lackluster quality of the garments I despised. I did nothing to smile or brighten my face or my hair grooming. I flaunted my negative personality like the chain of servitude shackling my spirit. Even my grades suffered. The misery of failure was almost too much of a burden to bear.

Before the summer vacation my grade adviser called me in to speak to him.

"Miss Doyle, after looking at your record I wonder if the strain of study isn't a little too much for someone in . . . well, in your position," he said gently.

He knew about the work that I had to do to keep my room and pay for the food. I had a flashing picture of the creaky gray house in Clay City with Mom and Pop and the kids waving eagerly from the rickety front porch . . . their faces bright with hope for Big Sister Doris. What would Mr. Norman, my adviser say if he knew the economic pain that all of them had gone through to give me this chance?

"I want to be a teacher," I said, "and I just have to stay in school and make good. Maybe next year. . ."

Mr. Norman's face was terribly solemn.

"Unless you improve in some of the courses you're failing in I don't think you ought to even think about coming back in the

fall. You may be dreaming about a teaching career, Doris, but you're not giving any effort to your work. Why, even in the simple subjects you haven't made any headway. . ."

My welcome home to Clay City was like a reception for a great celebrity. Pop had a huge gourd of watermelon punch set on the scarred kitchen table, and Mom had gotten up at five A.M. to bake cookies. The neighbors all dropped in from the farms, grinning at me with respectful admiration. What would they say if they knew that their efforts were being made for a flop . . . a failure, a kid with "dreams" who just couldn't make the grade.

The worst shock of all came when Pop whispered to me that his new boss over the tile factory was due to drop in.

"Nice young fella," said Pop, "and he's mighty anxious to meet a smart gal like you. Course Hank ain't had much schooling, but not everyone's real bright like my Doris."

When Hank Brody entered the house, it was like warm sunlight crowding out the self-gloom of my imprisonment. The clasp of his handshake and the intentness of the blue eyes looking into mine filled me with warmth and pleasure. I had never felt anyone close to me like that before.

"So you're Doris," he said, the words tumbling softly from his lips. "Pop's told me so much about you. I sure do admire your courage in setting out for school and working at putting

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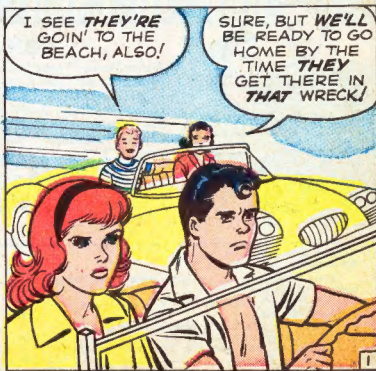
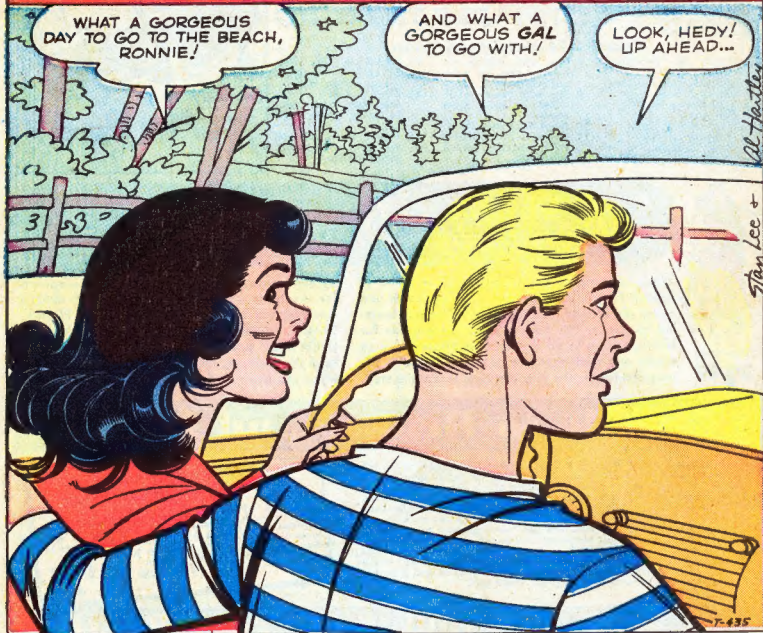
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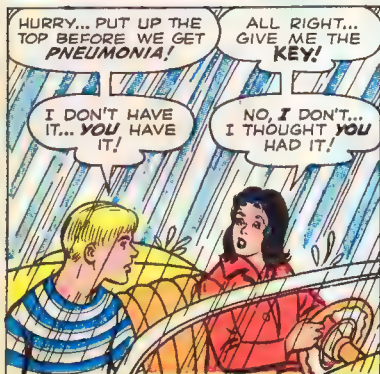
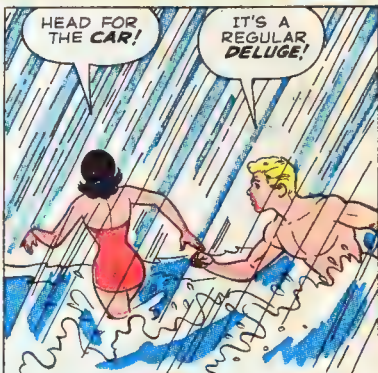
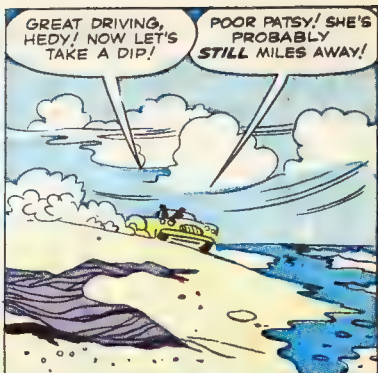
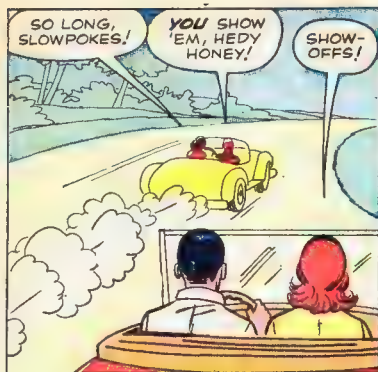
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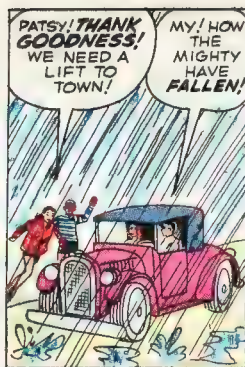
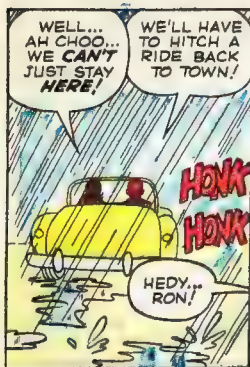
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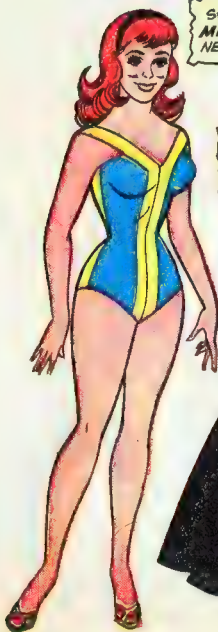
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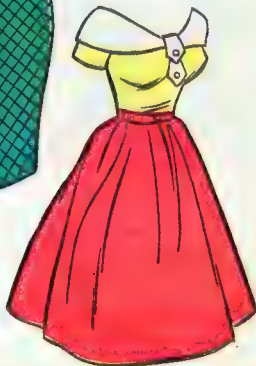
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GIRLS IN
MORE
CASUAL
CLOTHES!!

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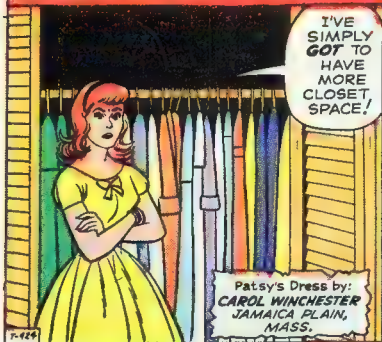
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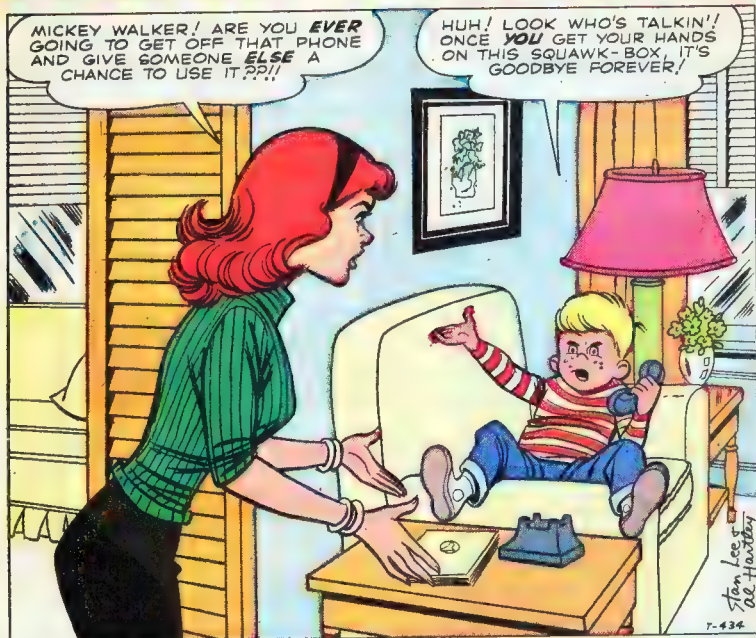
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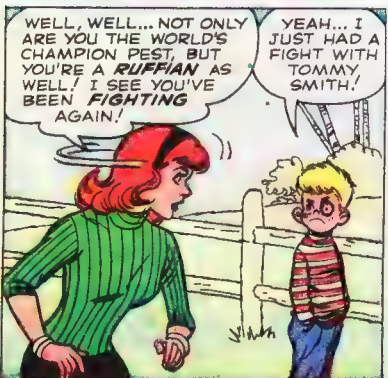
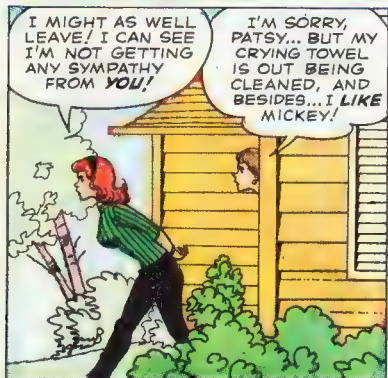
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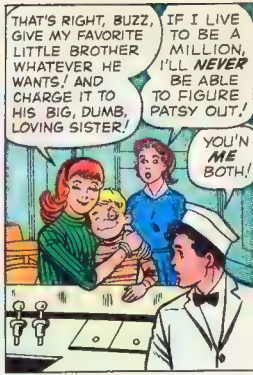
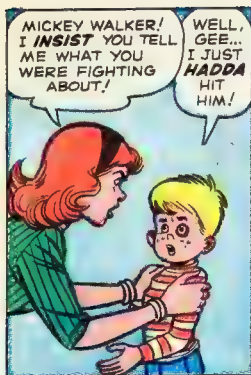
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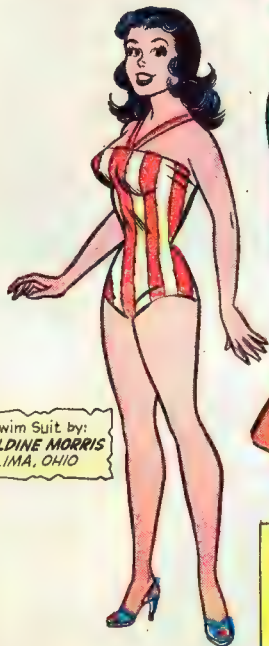
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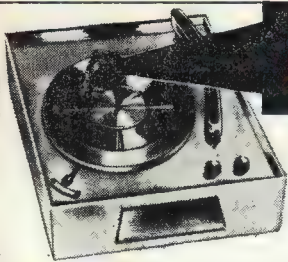
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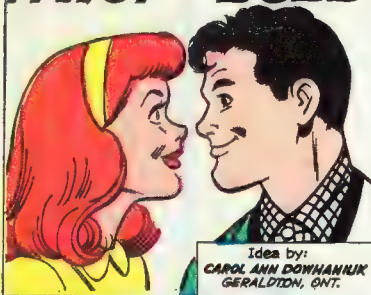
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COMFY,
PATSY?

MMMM,
YES!

Stan Lee & Al Hartley



THIS SURE IS
ROMANTIC!

UH
HUH!



I COULD STAY WITH YOU
THIS WAY FOR **HOURS!**

SIGH...



I THINK THERE'S JUST
ONE TEENY SUGGESTION
I'D LIKE TO MAKE, BUZZ...

WHAT'S
THAT,
PATSY
PIE?

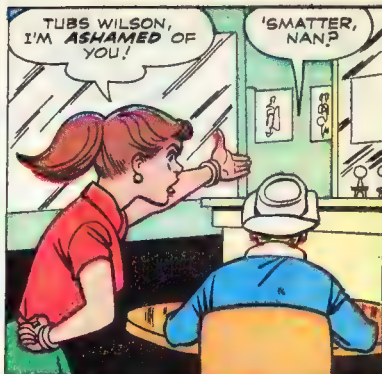


MAYBE WE'D GET A LITTLE
MORE PRIVACY IF WE PADDLED
OUT INTO THE LAKE!

PATSY'S PALS



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I'M ASHAMED OF
YOU!

'SMATTER,
NANNY?

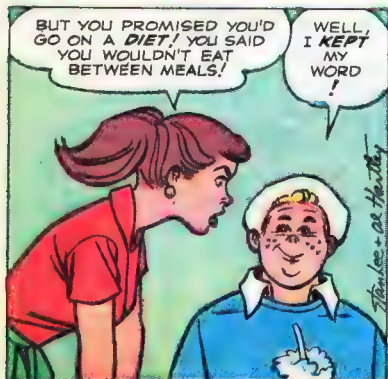


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AND FOUR SCOOPS OF ICE
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GO ON A DIET! YOU SAID
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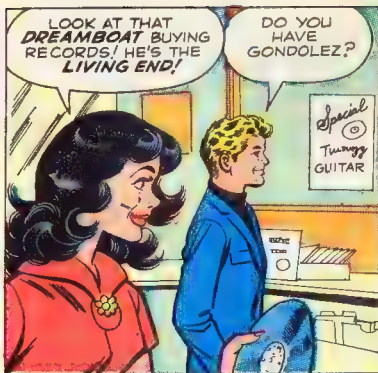
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I KEPT
MY WORD
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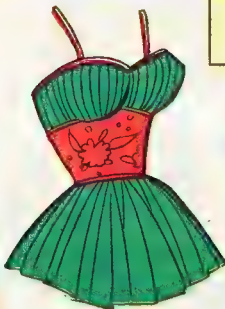
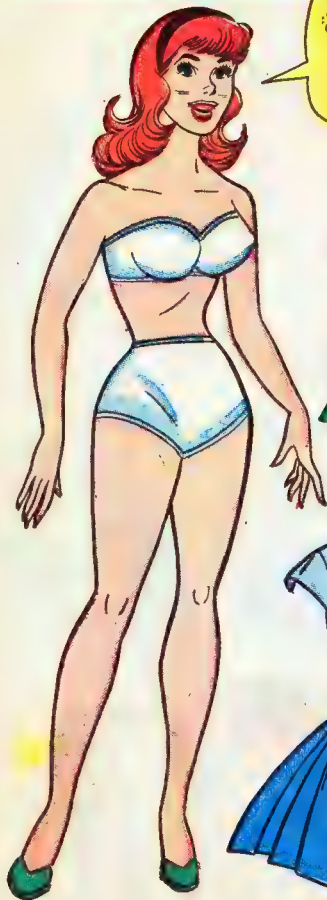
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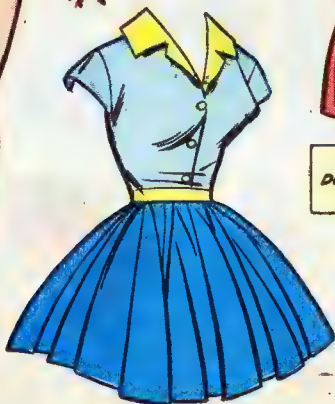
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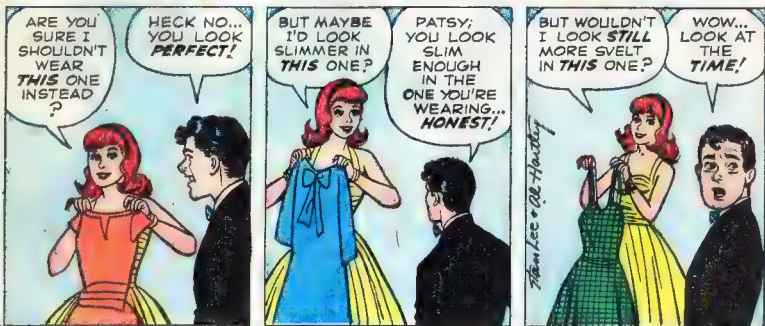


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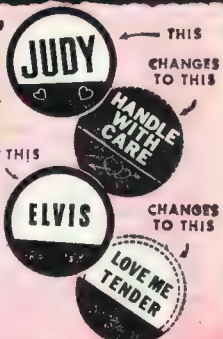
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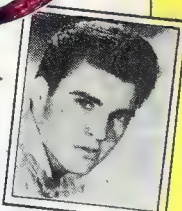
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yourself through to ease the load on the family."

Hank stayed to dinner that night. After Mom and I got the kids tucked away in their beds, Hank and I took a walk. As he pulled at his pipe, the soft red glow lit the darkness under the trees. The sky sprinkled star patterns, and the moon lit shadows among the floating clouds.

"It never looked so beautiful to me before," I said. I could feel my eyes sparkling. I had caught my hair back with a small velvet ribbon, and I hoped that I looked pretty. Hank's eyes told me that I did though. A sudden hush fell between us, and it seemed so natural, our blending together in the sweet embrace of our first kiss.

Suddenly he held me away from him.

"I guess I fell in love with you even before I met you, Doris. Pop's spoken about you so often, and he showed me your picture. But being with you today, Doris, seeing you help your Mom and flit around smiling at all the old friends . . . I could read in their eyes what they think of you. I feel the same way, only with me it's much more personal."

Hank and I saw each other constantly that summer. I reveled in the admiration he showed me. I suddenly seemed to come alive. I felt vital and I never looked so wonderful in my whole life. Whirling through the barn dances in my old peasant blouse and calico skirt, I knew I looked lovelier than many a fancy-dressed gal back at school. I blossomed out in the familiar surroundings of my home town and with the wonderful attentions of Hank Brody to flatter my womanhood.

Hank was understanding, so easy to talk to. I told him all the dreams of becoming a teacher and breaking away from Clay City. I laughed at myself when I revealed the childish jealousies that used to make me envious of the well-to-do kids in town. In turn, Hank confided in

me. He had never continued his last year at high school. He was forced into work to support himself after his family moved from Chicago. He had struggled long hours to rise to his position of authority. The men at the tile plant respected him and loved him. I knew that from Dad. One day I met Hank before quitting time and I watched his activities on the job. His presence of mind, his sharpness and know-how would bring him a brilliant future. Proudly, I told myself that I would be part of it.

Another dream! When would I learn not to put my faith in dreams! For suddenly one day I sensed a change in Hank. For



a week I heard nothing from him. It was getting close to the time when I would have to return to school . . . and I dreaded the thought! When Hank finally called for a date I accepted eagerly, but I was terribly hurt at not hearing from him sooner. It may sound silly, but I had dreamed, too, about Hank asking me to marry him. I loved him and I felt I could forget about school. I would take a part-time job and pay back the folks the money they had invested on me. I knew they liked Hank and would approve my marrying him.

"I have something important to tell you, Doris," said Hank when we were alone. My heart hammered rapidly. Was it a proposal?

"I love you, but I don't feel as if marrying me is fair to you or to me now." I wanted to cry out in protest, but he held my hand tightly and continued, "I've been taking correspondence courses to finish my high school work. That's why I didn't see you this week. I needed time to buckle down. I'm going to continue into college courses, too. Then, while you finish up your school and get your diploma, I'll be working to make myself a better and bigger person . . . someone who really deserves you."

"I'm not the success you think I am," I blurted out suddenly. "I almost flunked out of college! I love you Hank! Let's get married now!"

He cupped my face in his hands tenderly.

"I think you *do* love me, Doris. But when we first met, I think I was an escape for you. I knew that, too. You see, your Dad told me about the letter he had on your work, from Mr. Norman, the grade adviser. He didn't let on to you, because he felt you would tell him yourself. It wasn't easy for you, Doris, but the kind of future we can build together . . . why you'll go back and race through those studies like the wonderful, intelligent girl I love! Give yourself a chance, darling. Give us a chance!"

It wasn't easy. But it *could* be done. It seems amazing to me that the two years of Junior College flew by so fast. I worked hard, and I even chalked up some honors in the subjects I excelled in. My proudest moment was at graduation when Mom and Pop drove down to watch me take my diploma. Hank was there, too, waiting for me. His kiss was for all the world to see, and to me meant the greatest gift of all: the love and respect of my husband-to-be. I hope I can impart to my young pupils at Clay City the wisdom that my Hank taught me.

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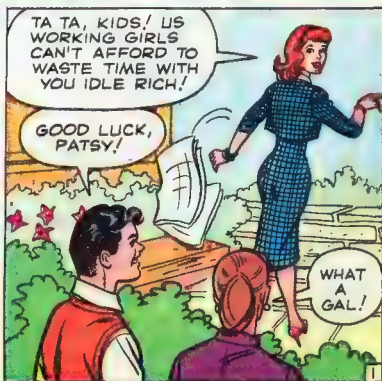
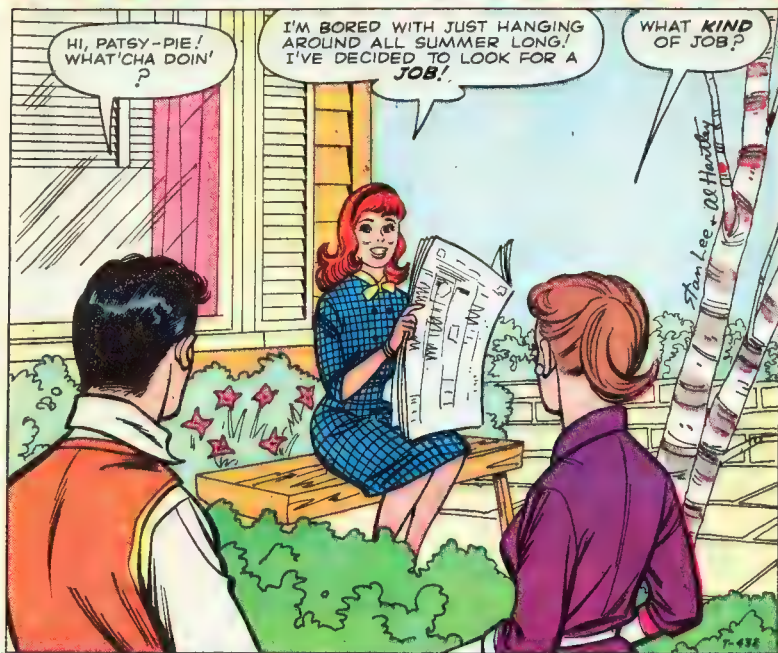
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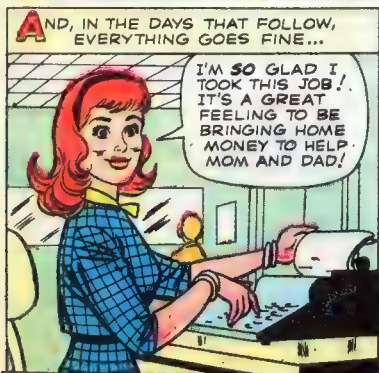
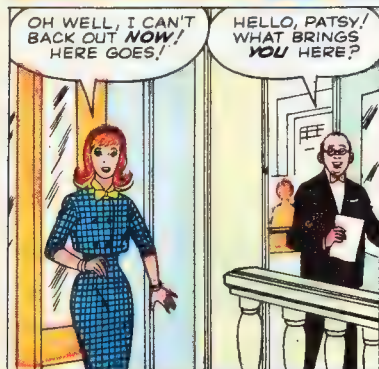
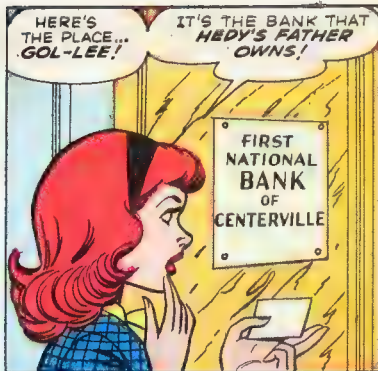
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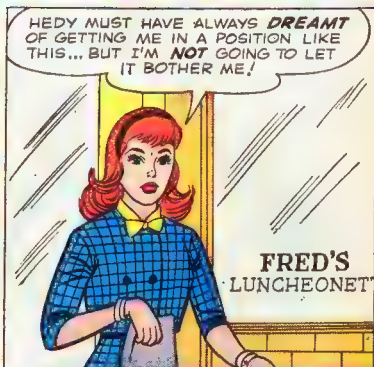
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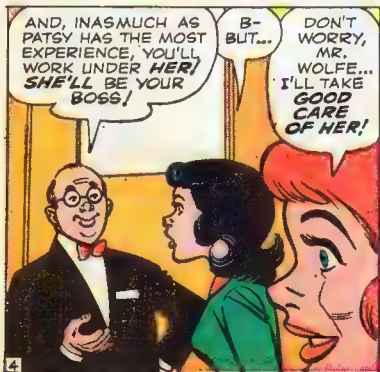
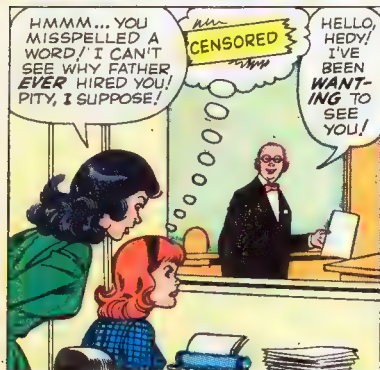
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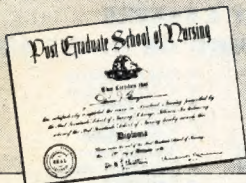








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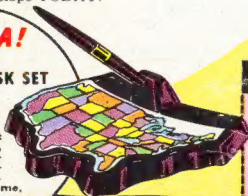
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